ALABAMA BAPTIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MINUTES

—OF THE—

SEVENTIETH ANNUAL SESSION

—OF THE—

MUD CREEK ASSOCIATION

—OF—

Primitive Baptists,

—HELD WITH—

Sardis Church, Jackson County, Ala.,

—ON—

September 26th, 27th and 28th, 1891.

A. J. WANN, Moderator,
Woodville, Ala.

W. J. SWAIM, Clerk,
Estill's Fork, Ala.

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Proceedings of the Seventieth annual session of the Mud Creek Association of Primitive Baptists held with Sardis Church, Jackson County, Ala., on September 26th, 27th and 28th, 1891.

The Introductory was delivered by Elder G. W. Bulman, from Acts, xiii, 39: "And by him all that believe are justified from all things." After which the delegates composing the association assembled in the grove near by, while the congregation was addressed at the stand by Elders J. W. Riggs, W. A. Cashion and J. G. Woods.

The association was opened with prayer by Elder McCampbell Maples. The churches were called and names of delegates enrolled.

The election of officers being next in order, Elder A. J. Wann was elected Moderator and W. J. Swaim, Clerk.

1st. Invited visiting brethren to seats with us.

2nd. Called for Petitionary letters, and received Pleasent Hill Church, DeKalb County, Ala., into our fellowship. Little Vine dissolved and joined Pleasant Hill. Her name is dropped from the minutes.

3rd. Called for Correspondence with the following result:

Elk River association letter and minutes by her messengers, A. Woods and Elder W. A. Cashion.

Flint River Association; Letters and minutes by her messengers, Elders S. B. Kuykendall and J. W. Carter.

Collins River association, minute, but no letter.

Elder G. P. Moffett and M. A. Hackworth being present were invited to seats with us.

Sequatchie association, no letter or minutes.

Mt. Zion association, letter and minutes by her mesengers, Elders R. V. Hood, James Holly and W. C. Bodine.

4th. Called for petitionary letters for corresponding association.

Letter from Powell's Valley association was presented for correspondence by her messengers, Elders J. W. Riggs and John Miller, which was received and messengers invited to seats. Elder S. M. Petree being present from said association, was invited to a seat.

5th. Appointed the following committees:

On Correspondence—F. G. Butler, A. G. Gentry, T. M. K. Galloway.

On Arrangements—J. M. Rosson, H. E. White, Jonathan Potter, G. W. Bulman, J. P. Ivy; with Moderator and Clerk to arrange the business of the association, and also preaching at the stand.

On motion, the association adjuorned until 9 o'clock Monday morning.

SUNDAY MORNING, 10 O'CLOCK.

The Committee appointed Elders McCampbell Maples, G. P. Moffett and J. G. Woods to preach to day, who, in the order of their names came forward and preached to a large congregation to the glorification

of God's name and the edifying of the saints.

MONDAY MORNING, 9 O'CLOCK.

The Association met pursuant to adjournment.

Prayer by Elder T. M. K. Galloway.

Called the roll.

The Committee on Arrangements made their report, and committee discharged.

Elders R. V. Hood, W. A. Cashion and J. W. Riggs, to preach today.

Read Rules of Decorum.

The Committee on Correspnodence presented the following Letters:

Flint River Association—Elders G. W. Bulman, J. P. Ivy and Brother, J. P. Maples to bear it to Flint Church, Madison County, Ala., commencing on Saturday before the first Sunday in October, 1891.

Elk River Association—Elders W. A. Lyon and G. W. Bulman to bear it to Mt. Olivet Church, 2½ miles from Petersburg, Lincoln County, Tenn., on Saturday before the second Sunday in September, 1892.

Mt. Zion Association—Elders H. E. White, T. M. K. Galloway, A. J. Wann, and brother N. T. Hays to bear it to Brown's Creek Church, Blount County, Ala., on Friday before the second Sunday in September, 1892.

Collin's River Association—Elders J. P. Ivy, G. W. Bulman and Brother John Sisk, to bear it to Cedar Springs Church, Marion County, Tenn., on Saturday before the fourth Sunday in August, 1892.

Powell's Valley Association—Elders A. J. Wann, J. P. Ivy and Brethren C. R. Whited and J. R. Russell to bear it to Pleasant Point Church, Claiborne County, Tenn., on Friday before the third Sunday in August, 1892.

Sequatchie Association—Elder T. M. K. Galloway, and Brethren William Stearns, J. W. Smith and J. M. Treadway to bear it to Head Spring Church, Dade County, Ga., on Friday before the third Sunday in August, 1892.

The 1st District meeting will be held with Salem Church, Jackson County, Ala., on Friday before the first Sunday in August, 1892. Elders H. E. White, G. W. Bulman and A. J. Wann to attend it.

Second District meeting will be held at Pisgah Church, Marshall County, Ala., on Friday before the third Sunday in July, 1892. Elders T. M. K. Galloway and J. P. Ivy to attend it.

Appointed J. M. Rosson and H. E. White, a Committee on Finance, who reported present contributions $15.60.

Ordered by the association, that 500 copies of these Minutes be printed. That the Clerk Superintend the printing and distribution of the same, reserving 120 copies for corresponding associations, and receive $5.00 for his services, and pay $3.60 of the contribution to visiting brethren.

The next Association will be held with Union Church, Jackson County, Ala., 1½ miles north of Woodville, on Saturday before the

fourth Sunday in September, 1892. Elder A. J. Wann to preach the Introductory Sermon; W. A. Lyon alternate.

The Association having finished its business in peace and harmony, the Minutes were read by the Clerk and approved.

Resolved: That the Thanks of this Association is hereby tendered to the brethren and citizens of this community for their kindness and hospitality shown all in attendance during our stay among them.

On motion, the Association adjourned to the time and place above mentioned.

W. J. SWAIM, Clerk.

ELD. A. J. WANN, Moderator.

MISCELLANOUS.

Macedonia Church requests us to say that Willam Lackey is excluded from her body, and refuses to give up his credentials.

TABLE OF STATISTICS.

CHURCHES.	NAMES OF DELEGATES.	Rec'd by Baptism	Rec'd by Letter.	Confes. of Faith.	Restored.	Dism'd by Letter	Excluded.	Dead	Total	Contributions.	Days of Meeting
Mud Creek	James Rosson	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	7	60	2
Providence	Jonathan Potter and J. P. Ivy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	50	3
Salam	A. G. Gentry and J. A. Rorex	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	32	150	1
Sardis	Jesse Raise, W. J. Swaim, Geo Morris and A. K. Bean	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	54	150	3
Little Coon	No intelligence—last total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	....	3
Shiloh	No intelligence—last total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	....	4
New Hope	William Stearnes and James Matthews	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	100	4
Estill's Fork	No intelligence—last total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	....	4
Blue Springs	W. G. Barny, G. W. Wilhelms and J. Sisk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	125	4
Union	G. W. Bulman, A. J. Wann, James Barclay and M. Chandler	15	0	0	1	0	2	1	85	250	1
Pisgah	Wm. Elkins and J. R. Elkins	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	150	3
Bethel	F. T. Butler, J. W. Martin, J. P. Maples and C. R. Whited	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	51	200	4
Standing Rock	B. F. Walker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	50	2
Paint Rock	T. Hall, T. Langston and J. Fannin	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	75	1
Lebanon	N. T. Hays, H. E. White and T. B. Wilhelms	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	11	50	1
Macedonia	T. M. K. Galloway	0	1	0	0	0	3	1	11	50	..
Liberty	No inteligence—last total	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	....	..
Pleasant Hill	J. W. Smith and J. M. Treadway	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	100	..
		23	3	0	3	5	5	5	471	1560	

Names of Ministers, with P. O. Address.

H. E. White, Scottsboro, Jackson County, Ala.
A. J. Wann, Woodville, Jackson County, Ala.
G. W. Bulman, Woodville, Jackson County, Ala.
J. P. Ivy, Scottsboro, Jackson County, Ala.
T. M. K. Galloway, Kelly's, Jackson County, Ala.
James Walker, Widows, Jackson County, Ala.
W. A. Lyon, New Hope, Madison County, Ala.

Licentiates.

T. J. Langston, Francisco, Jackson County, Ala.
James Fanning, Francisco, Jackson County, Ala.
J. M. Fanning, Francisco, Jackson County, Ala.
Milton Fanning, Francisco, Jackson County, Ala.
J. W. Williams, Trenton, Jackson County, Ala.
J. W. Martin, Poplar Ridge, Madison County Ala.

Names of Clerks, with P. O. Address.

Mud Creek—J. M. Rosson, Scottsboro, Jackson County, Ala.
Providence— ——— ——— ———
Salem—A. G. Gentry, Big Coon, Jackson County, Ala.
Sardis—W. J. Swaim, Estill's Fork, Jackson County, Ala.
Little Coon—J. W. Champion, Coffey's Store, Jackson County, Ala.
New Hope—Wm. Stearns, Fabius, Jackson County, Ala.
Blue Spring—G. W. Wilhelms, Scottsboro, Jackson County Ala.
Union—M. E. Elkins, Woodville, Jackson County, Ala.
Mt. Pisgah—J. N. Bulman, Woodville, Jackson County, Ala.
Standing Rock—Harvey Parkhill, Cottonville, Marshall County, Ala.
Paint Rock—Thomas Hall, Larkin's Fork, Jackson County, Ala.
Lebanon—J. W. Wilhelm, Scottsboro, Jackson County, Ala.
Macedonia—T. M. K. Galloway, Kelley's, Jackson County, Ala.
Liberty—John Williams, Trenton, Jackson County, Ala.
Shiloh—G. M. Starkey, Wannville, Jackson County, Ala.
Bethel—F. T. Butler, Paint Rock, Jackson County, Ala.